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## KENTUCKY MEN

To Go to Border—Will Move, According to Latest Report—Speculation Rife at Camp—More Men Rejected—Third Battalion of Second Loses Forty Per Cent of Membership.

Fort Thomas, Ky., July 17—Conversation at Fort Thomas is honeycombed with versions of official beliefs, hopes and forecasts. If a guardman wants to go to the border he can find talk enough here to convince him that he will be aboard the rattler for Texas within a week. If he wants to stay in Kentucky he can talk confidentially with some other authority and be assured that there will be no movement of troops from Fort Thomas except to their homes. If we are not sent home we will be sent to the border. Guesses are free and the hazarding of opinion has been the favorite sport of officers, men and newspaper correspondents. Telegrams from the Department of the East can be interpreted in almost any manner one wishes, and as a result conflicting rumors, under guise of authentic reports, are everywhere.

Today newspaper correspondents were authorized to announce that there would be a movement of Kentucky troops; that they would be moved in a brigade and not in units; that they would probably be moved when fully equipped, and that they would probably see a year of service on the border after they did move. "Fully equipped" can mean any shade of preparation.

Tomorrow may bring a different story, but that is the news of July 17, 1916.

W. R. Bethel, of Jackson, Ky., former mountaineer soldier of fortune captain under the Mexican rebel bandit Villa, today called on Adjutant General Tandy Ellis and asked for a commission in the Kentucky guard to fight against his former commanders.

## FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of Mrs. H. C. Sharp will be held this afternoon in the Central Presbyterian Church. Rev. H. Kerr Taylor will preach the sermon.

## BIG DAY IN POLICE COURT

In Police Court yesterday afternoon eight drunks were up before Judge Whitaker. They received their doses as follows:

Boone Yazell, drunk and disorderly, \$6.50.

Lee Spencer, drunk, \$6.50.

John Wright, drunk, \$6.50.

John Harrington, drunk and disorderly, \$10.50.

Dan Coughlin, drunk, \$6.50.

William Short, drunk, \$6.50.

Rod Duley, drunk, \$6.50.

The case of Dave Barnes charged with being drunk was postponed until August 1 as he broke his arm during his testimony.

They say that Maysville is a dry town. It has been voted as such and it is up to the police to see that no whiskey is sold here. Of course, some of these men got their whiskey in Ripley but we would bet that several of them have not seen Ripley for some time. The police have caught several of the worst bootleggers but there are quite a number remaining.

## NEW SERIAL PLEASES

The new serial, "Gloria's Romance," starring Billy Burke, drew a large crowd to the Washington Opera House last evening at both shows. This serial is considered as one of the best ever produced and if the remainder of the episodes come up to the first it certainly will be a great one.

## BRICK WILL ARRIVE THE LAST OF THIS WEEK

Mr. Schoofield, the contractor for down town streets, was in the city yesterday and stated to the Ledger man that he expected to get the brick for his contract the last part of this week. Work will begin as soon as possible.

## FOREIGNERS HERE

A small party of foreigners arrived here yesterday to go to work on the Lock and Dam just above the city. This is one of the earliest bunches to arrive in this city but during the remainder of the season, many more will doubtless arrive, as labor is at a premium around Maysville.

## OHIO STATE LEAGUE

Will Finish the Season Says President Thomas M. Russell of the Local Team—Boosters' Day To Be Held Here on Friday—Game Today

That the Ohio State League will finish the season is now almost an assured fact. When interviewed this morning President Thomas M. Russell of the local team said that if no one would take up the franchise of the defunct Lexington team the League would probably support a team on its own hook. If a good city can be secured it is thought that the team will practically be self supporting for the rest of the season.

Ironton has been selected and President Gableman is in that city making arrangements to place a team there. Ironton is a good baseball town under proper management and if a team could be located there the league would undoubtedly finish the season.

The team laid off yesterday as they were scheduled to play Lexington on the first four days of this week. The Lexington club had surrendered its franchise and the disposition of the players had not been decided upon. The local backers of the team got in communication with Manager Guyn and the old Lexington Colts will be here this afternoon to play a game. Play will be called at 3:15.

Altho the future of the league is not known, Boosters' Day will be held Friday. The committee started on their campaign yesterday morning and had not received a refusal up until the time they had quit. This shows that this city wants organized ball and they are willing to pay for it. The attraction for Friday will probably be Chillicothe, altho the schedule for the remainder of the season has not been settled.

Although the future of the league is not positively known, Boosters' Day will be held at League Park Friday afternoon. A local committee started on a campaign Monday morning and had not received a refusal up until the time they had quit. This shows that this city wants organized ball and they are willing to pay for it. The attraction for Friday will probably be Chillicothe, altho the schedule for the remainder of the season has not been completed.

The only thing to do now is to wait and see if a team can be placed in Ironton or some other Ohio city. Baseball in Huntington is dead as far as the Ohio State League is concerned for the Huntington fans are quite incensed over the treatment they received from Lexington.

Lexington played unfair when it made such a desperate effort to get baseball for the rest of the season. Huntington wanted a berth in the league and would have obtained it had it not been for the action of Lexington in refusing to sell its team to the Boosters after the deal had practically been completed.

The knockers are still with us however. We have been told about 'teen times that the park will not be opened again for the league but those people had better adopt a policy of watchful waiting.

## TAG DAY PROCEEDS TO BE SPLIT FOR LEXINGTON PLAYERS

Lexington, Ky., July 18—The proceeds of tag day sales, made a week ago in an effort to finance the Lexington baseball club for the remainder of the season, will be split up among the players who are now stranded in this city without the finances to get them home. This action was decided on at a meeting held yesterday afternoon, at which the sum of \$40 was raised to go toward the same cause.

It is thought that the silver bat and ball, offered by Victor Bogart, for the most useful player on the Lexington team will be given to Biddy Beers, who was leading by a big margin when the votes were last totaled. Biddy left yesterday to report to Manager Clerk, of the Milwaukee American Association team. He is a wise and useful catcher and will make the Brewers a good man.

The floods in the Southeast have made it impossible for McClellan to get to Asheville, N. C. In fact the ball ground in that town is said to be under three feet of water and the former Colt shortstop has received a message telling him to stay in Lexington until further notice. Shafer will report to the Terre Haute Club today and Roher may possibly be sold to the Louisville Colonels before the season is over.

As for the balance of the bunch, no word has yet been received from President Joe Carr as to what they must do.

## MAYSVILLE'S NEW DIRECTORY

The new directory for the City of Maysville and adjoining towns which is published by the Caron Directory Company of Louisville is now being delivered to the subscribers. The new book is a splendid piece of work and is complete in every detail. According to the figures in the directory Maysville now has a population of 8,786, which shows that the old town is really on the boom.

## DEATH OF MRS. J. M. HUMLONG

Mrs. J. M. Humlong, aged 68 years, passed away at her home in Germantown yesterday afternoon, her death being the result of injuries sustained several weeks ago when she fell after her son, R. G. Humlong backed his automobile into her unknowingly, knocking her crutch from under her arm. The accident was a particularly sad one to the family and her death even is more so, being indirectly caused as above stated.

She is survived by two sons, Messrs. R. G. and W. N. Humlong, both of Germantown.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from her late home with services by Rev. Ecklar. Interment in the Maysville cemetery.

## AGED LADY DIES

Mrs. C. Bell Meyers died at her home in Augusta Saturday after being confined to her bed for some time. Several weeks ago she broke her hip and never fully recovered from the fall. She was 86 years of age. Mr. James Key, the Circuit Clerk, and Miss Isabelle Key attended the funeral which was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. Key was her nephew.

## EXPECT BIG RIVER

The United States Worker Bureau has issued a warning to the contractors at the Lock and Dam No. 33 just above the city that they may expect a big river within the next few days, the river going to a twenty foot stage or more. A great amount of rain has fallen in the upper part of the river and this will bring the high water.

## CLASS MEETING

There will be an important meeting of the Epworth Adult Bible class of the Third Street M. E. Church Sunday School tonight at the church. It is very important that every member be present. Other ladies of the church invited.

J. H. RICHARDSON, Teacher.

## POLICEMAN ON VACATION

Officer Dudley Bloomhoff of the local police force left yesterday on a two days' vacation with relatives in Brown county, Ohio.

In Squire Fred W. Bauer's Court yesterday afternoon Delia Jackson was fined \$9.15 for trespassing.

## WORK PROGRESSING NICELY

The work on the new streets is now progressing nicely and the contractors expect to do a great deal within the next few days.

In the Fifth Ward the contractors are making good time on concreting the car tracks and will probably finish all of the track that is excavated this week. The delay in the work has been mostly in the excavating. After the car track is concreted the work will be delayed several days on account of the fact the little work is being done with the excavating.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from her late home with services by Rev. Ecklar. Interment in the Maysville cemetery.

In the Sixth Ward the work is confined to laying the curb and to excavating. The excavating is being carried on at a rapid rate but is causing some inconvenience on account of interfering with the gas lines. The gas main has been uncovered and several of the branch lines have been torn up by the digger.

## INCORPORATED

The Romer-Redden Produce Co., of Richmond was incorporated at Frankfort Saturday with a capital stock of \$5,000. The incorporators were Amelia Romer, Louis Romer, R. Fulton Redden and Laura Taylor. This company was a branch of the E. L. Manchester Produce Co. of this city.

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#### POSTAL INEFFICIENCY

New England need not plume herself on being the only part of the country subjected by the Post Office Department to poor mail-train service and delayed and indifferent delivery of mails. Similar conditions seem to obtain throughout the country. Here is an instance from Lawrence County, South Dakota.

The marketing agent for the applegrowers of the country worked up good markets for the local product by a thoroughgoing campaign of advertising and soliciting. His customers were mainly small buyers in the second parcel post zone from his shipping point. The post office employees complained that they were being overburdened, and entered objection to the agent's use of the post for delivery of the fruit.

The Post Office Department thereupon ordered the routing of parcel post matter from the agent's station in such way that it was carried into the third zone, then twisted back for delivery in the second Third-zone rates were charged. The difference consumed the margin of profit, and the shipment stopped. The fruit growers of Lawrence County are without a market for their crop. Enterprise has been punished and an industry destroyed.

Whichever way one turns—to the city or to the rural districts—he finds this poor, inefficient, disorganized, and contemptuous service on the part of the Post Office Department increasing. How long the convenience and the industrial interests of the country, especially in the non-urban territories, will be scornfully disregarded for the sake of so-called economy, one can only guess. The steadily growing stream of complaints, coming alike from private citizens and business men, indicates that the Post Office Department apparently believes that there is no public need or convenience that it is bound to consider.—Boston Transcript.

### PROCLAMATION

Issued By State Board of Health Regarding Prevention of Infantile Paralysis.

Bowling Green, Ky., July 17, 1916. Whereas, Infantile Paralysis, essentially a disease of cities and towns and of childhood, though sometimes occurring in country districts and in adults, exists in a severe epidemic form in New York and has already spread to other sections, eight positive or suspicious cases having been reported in this State within the last twenty-four hours, the disease having an average death rate of about 25 per cent and a large portion of those surviving being more or less completely paralyzed, and, whereas, everywhere the tendency of the disease is to break over official control and spread, especially in the presence of filth and flies in and about the homes, yards, alleys and streets, unless every case is rigidly isolated and all discharges from the throat, nose and bowels are promptly burned or disinfected until complete recovery, and the assembling of children is prevented in really infected districts, now, therefore,

It is known that the State Board of Health, in the exercise of authority vested in it by law, and in the discharge of a public duty, hereby urges and directs that the health and civil authorities of every city and town in Kentucky take immediate steps to clean all alleys, streets, tenements, public places and vacant lots and, by rigid and systematic inspection, to require the cleaning and liming of all back yards, cellars and premises, and the thorough screening of homes; although in the presence of this emergency no good citizen should wait for the law to force him to an evident duty for the protection of his family and community. In the existing emergency, visits of children under fifteen years of age from infected or suspected cities should be discouraged and, when permitted, the names and addresses of all such children should be recorded in the health office.

Upon the occurrence of a suspicious case it should be immediately reported to the health officer, and, without fear or favor, so rigidly isolated that no one can enter the room except the nurse and physician, and the house placarded, or preferably the case sent to the hospital, and all discharges burned or disinfected as in a case of diphtheria and scarlet fever. All of this should be most thoroughly done or it will do harm by giving a false sense of security. In the event of the disease in any city or town, except it be an imported case which can be cared for as above indicated, the local authorities are asked to consider the advisability of restricting the assembling and travel of children in place of amusement, schools, on street cars and trains, and so far as practicable, on the streets. All health officers are required by law to report this disease to this Board, and they are hereby requested to do so by wire at its expense.

A bulletin containing more complete information on this subject will be mailed free to any address upon application.

J. D. SOUTH, M. D. President,  
J. N. McCORMICK, M. D. Acting Secretary.

#### SUICIDE IN FLEMING COUNTY

Muses Mills, Ky., July 14.—Coroner Charles H. Compton of the place was called by phone early yesterday morning to come to Calfax, 15 miles below this place to hold an inquest over the body of Robert Burk, aged 42, a farmer, who had committed suicide by shooting himself with a shot gun. He and his wife had a family fight last Monday morning in which her eyes were blacked and she was otherwise hurt. She left home and going to Hillsboro had procured three warrants against Burk charging him with breach of the peace, also a peace warrant against him for threatening to kill her.

Burk was arrested and was to be tried Saturday at Hillsboro, being under bond for his appearance. Several witnesses were sworn and no one could be found who had heard him make any threats of taking his life, nor had he acted in any way as if he was going to do this act. He had procured a single-barrel shotgun and placing the breech of it against an apple tree in the front yard and the muzzle against his breast just over the heart and knocked the trigger with a stick held in his hand that he had notched for that purpose. A large hole was torn clear through his body, as large as a big ear of corn.

Dr. O'Brien of Hillsboro was called and he pronounced that death was instantaneous. He leaves a good farm, a wife and five children, the eldest being but 19 years of age.

The Coroner's Jury returned a verdict of suicide with no one responsible for his rash act.

He was buried at Hillsboro Friday by undertaker Clark of that place.

Peace talk keeps right on bobbing up over in Europe, and as religiously bob right down again.

### UPSIDE DOWN

The flag on the Postoffice was flying upside down Saturday. Quite a number of persons noticed it. We suspect that our old friend "Doc" must have been celebrating in some remarkable way.

It is comparatively easy to get anything within reason that you want. The only difficulty is in making up your mind to go after it.

### MAYOR LEE

Issues Proclamation For "Clean-Up" Days to Be Held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The State Board of Health, having issued a proclamation and warnings to the County Boards and Municipalities throughout the State calling attention to the fact that Infantile Paralysis, now epidemic in many of our large cities, is spreading throughout the entire land. The cause of this most dreaded disease, in the opinion of the best medical authorities, is filth and lack of sanitation. And, while the disease is usually confined to infants and small children, adults are by no means immune to it.

Because of the conditions that now confront us we are making this urgent appeal to every citizen of this city who values the health, the life and happiness of the people of this community to co-operate with the County and City Boards of Health, the Health League and the Woman's Club and, especially do we ask the Chamber of Commerce for their assistance and co-operation in this very serious matter. On account of the above conditions we deem it prudent and do hereby issue the following proclamation:

I. J. Wesley Lee, Mayor of the City of Maysville, Kentucky, do, by this order, proclaim and set apart Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 19th, 20th and 21st as clean up days for this city and, by this order, command the Street Commissioner to thoroughly clean all the public streets and alleys and all public places from all filth and trash of every kind, flush all sewers and gutters and to place same in a sanitary condition. Every resident within the City limits must thoroughly clean their premises from every manner of trash, rubbish or garbage. Lime all drains and outhouses and place their premises in a perfect sanitary condition. This order also applies to all merchants, shop keepers, grocers, meat markets, manufacturers and every kind of business. Keepers of livery barns or private stables are ordered to remove all manure from or near their stables and use lime freely and to whitewash all stables where horses or other stock is kept. Chicken yards and chicken coops must be thoroughly cleaned. Positively no hogs will be allowed to remain within the City limits. Citizens who fail to obey the orders of this proclamation will be prosecuted in the courts. Landlords, owners of real estate and their agents will be held responsible for the acts of their tenants. Persons who are too poor to pay for the carting away of their trash and dirt, if they will pile same in a convenient place and notify Mr. Ben T. Smith, Street Commissioner, he will have same removed. The City will also furnish lime to those who are unable to pay for it.

This July 17th, 1916.

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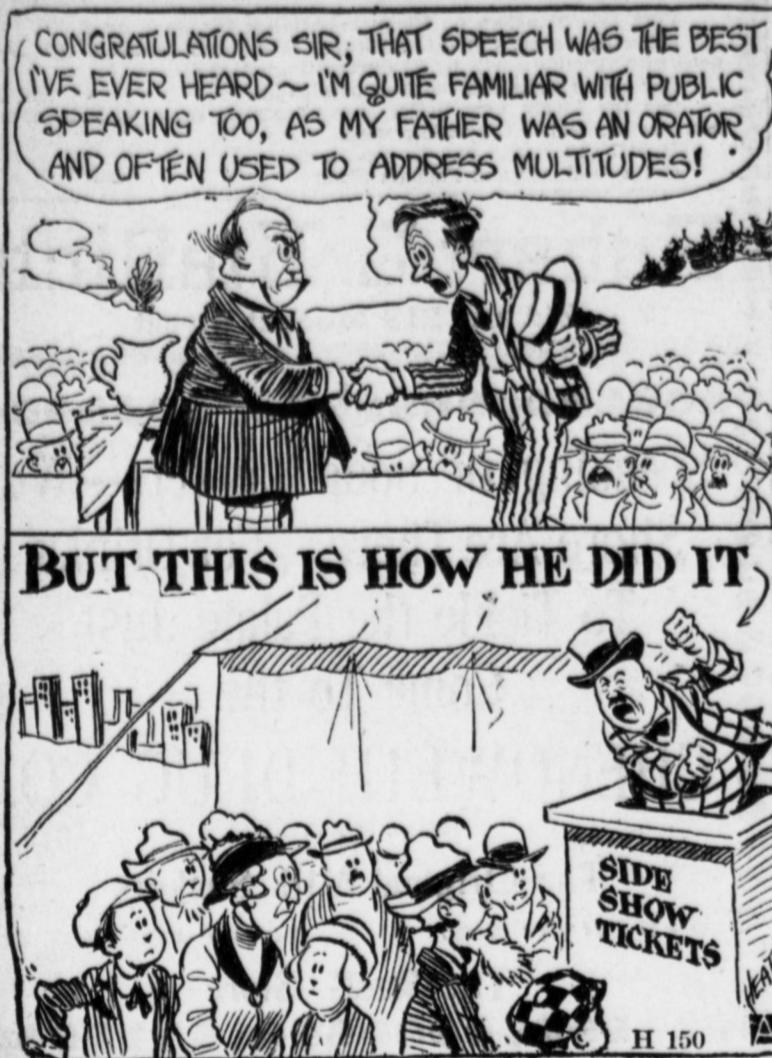
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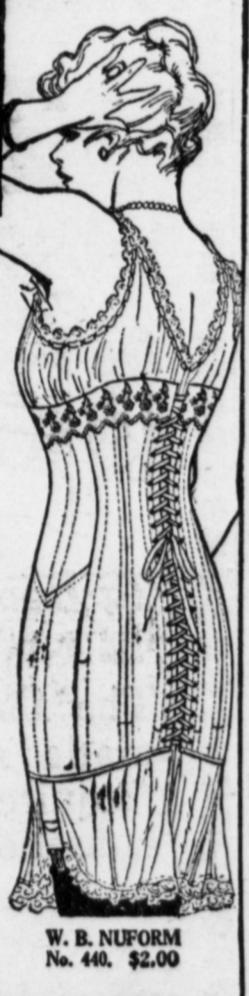
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MASON COUNTY TURNPIKES \*\*\*\*\*

It has been said to me that the management of the Mason County Turnpikes and members of the Fiscal Court have made the statement, that I was making a Political manoeuvre in taking hold of the turnpike question as I have done, and further stated, that I was "grooming" myself for County Judge. I would like to state here and now, that I have absolutely no political aspiration. I have never heard of any one seeking an office by the course I am pursuing.

I am directly interested in business in this city, which was affected very materially, last year, by the bad roads in Mason County, and I am confident, this winter, it will affect my business as well as the business of everyone else interested in any way with the tobacco industry to a much greater extent. I have my hands full with my individual business and the tobacco business, which I look after. The summer months period is my slack time, and I am now using it in the efforts of our turnpike system. I am going to advocate a policy for Mason County before I finish my subject.

While carrying out this work, I am making actual measurements of the turnpikes in each precinct of Mason County. I am making a notation and the location of every bridge on each pike, giving its size. All this information, I propose to put in the form of a Mason County Map. I am going to print 250 or 300 of these Maps and sell them to anyone in Mason County who desires one, and anyone desiring one of these Maps will kindly place their order with me as soon as convenient. The proceeds of the Map sale will renumerate me for the expense that I am at, and it is some expense to drive an automobile over every road in Mason County and stop and look at every bridge or culvert. I note that our County Officials pay from \$6.00 to \$10.00 a day, for an automobile for that purpose.

On June 4th, I took the Tuckahoe and Minerva turnpike following its course to Minerva. This road which is 7 4-10 miles in length, has eleven bridges upon it, three large ones more than 30 feet in length and 8 smaller ones, from 4 to 14 feet. The foundations of nine of these bridges are in very fair condition, but the foundation of two are getting in very bad shape. The one at Beasley Church is falling in and a stone mason could probably repair the present damage in two days time, or an expense of \$6.00 or \$8.00 to Mason county. The large bridge near Minerva being, I believe, over the west branch of Lee's Creek, is in very bad condition, but a stone mason in a few days would put this foundation in first class condition. It has not been the practice during the last few years to repair foundations, in fact, I believe it is against the policy of the present management in Mason County to repair a bridge foundation, but instead, let it fall in and replace it with a concrete foundation. You see by putting in a new concrete foundation, it makes a great deal more work and a larger contract. This turnpike is getting better attention, in the way of drainage and in the way of fixing the bad places in it than any turnpike in Mason county, with the exception of one small stretch of pike.

There was expended on the Minerva and Tuckahoe turnpike road, last year, \$527.85, or about \$75.00 per mile—slightly more than this road is entitled to, but \$450.00 spent, annually, will give the people of this community a first class road to travel over. The man who repairs this road with a little sound advice and prompt supervision, would attain splendid results, and I believe this man lives at the junction of the Tuckahoe and Minerva and the Dover and Tuckahoe turnpikes, and thereby is enabled to do good service to a large mileage of pike. If this road had each year as much rock put upon it as in 1915 and the water kept out of the middle of it, a splendid road would be the result. Rock can be had on this road not to exceed \$2.50 per rod.

At Minerva, I took the Minerva and Fernleaf pike, which is a ridge road for the whole distance of 3 1/2 miles to the Germantown pike, at Fernleaf, but this road is sadly in need of rock. There are many places which show nothing but yellow clay, and I am confident, in fact, I have been told by residents in the vicinity, that the School Wagon could not get by certain places in this road during last winter and no relief for those places is in sight yet. Just south of Minerva some work has been done, but there should be more work done on it before the winter of 1916.

One of the members of our Fiscal Court lives on this pike, and you would think that his influence would bring about the repair of these impos-

sible spots, at least, but no relief came. The cost of rock on this 3 1/2 miles of pike is a little excessive owing to the fact, that good limestone does not prevail, but I notice there is a good Quarry about midway between Fernleaf and Minerva from which rock should be produced for not to exceed \$3.00 per rod. I notice one or two culverts on this stretch of pike that are getting in very bad condition, one end of which is falling in and it is only a matter of time that a new culvert will have to be put in unless the necessary repair is made in the near future.

I will now take up the Germantown pike from the Valley pike to Germantown, the other 6 8-10 miles of this road having been referred to in another article. The 4 9-10 miles of the Germantown pike, which I am now referring to is, as a whole, in very bad condition, there being a number of winter, became impassable. This condition is not confined to one or two places but to many. The first hill west of the Valley pike and adjacent to the Oscar Barrett farm is practically gone through and needs a lot of rock. The next hill, near Frank McIntyre, has become rough and badly worn, however, some rock has been hauled to this spot to repair same.

From the home of John Evans to Germantown, the road is all ridge road with one exception, near the Peter Cook farm. There are more than a dozen stretches during the next winter that will become impassable.

In front of the home of Dan Norris, the road did become impassable, last winter, and many wagons had to double team in order to get by, notwithstanding the fact, a string of rock, at least, 300 feet in length, is lying right beside this spot and this string of rock has been beaten into the earth by the traffic trying to get away from the impassable spots. This rock still remains in the pile, and I presume, will not be spread until the road becomes muddy during the winter, when it will sink out of sight.

From the warehouse of Thos. J. Winter to the Town limits of Germantown, there is, at least, 40 rod of rock broken in strings, that have been there since last summer—one year. What do you suppose this rock was ever gotten out for? I suspect that just before the Germantown Fair, this rock will be spread so that the "Automobile traffic will wear them down" (?) Rock is available on this end of the Germantown pike, at not to exceed \$3.00 per rod.

From Germantown, I took the Lowell turnpike to the famous Lowell bridge, a distance of 5 1/2 miles. This road is entirely a ridge one, there not being a bridge in the whole distance of 5 1/2 miles. There is about 60 rod of rock broken in strings at various points from Germantown to Galbreath's Store, some of which have been lying there three years but most of it was put out last summer. At one point along one of the strings of rock, a farmer advised me that one of the Bond issue in Mason County, it is not hard to understand why the people are not for a Bond issue. They will vote for a Bond issue when the management in Mason County becomes efficient and distributes our turnpike fund upon the pikes of every district in a fair proportion to the amount of taxes produced in those districts.

Before I complete my work, I expect to produce a table, showing the taxes produced in each precinct, the mileage of turnpike in each precinct and the amount of money available for each and every mile of turnpike in Mason County.

GENERAL BLISS PROBES CONDITION OF MILITIA



Photo by American Press Association.

Major General Tasker H. Bliss, Assistant Chief of Staff.

San Antonio, Tex., July 15—Brig. Gen. Tasker H. Bliss arrived here today ready to begin his inspection tour of the army camps.

"The Secretary of War wanted some first-hand information regarding the militia, and I have been sent in accordance with that idea," Gen. Bliss said.

Charges have been made that the War Department hurried untrained, poorly equipped and unacclimated militiamen to the border and placed them in camps that had not been prepared properly to receive them. It also was charged that many militiamen were improperly fed on their way to the border.

1915. There was spent on the Lowell pike \$283.60 in 1915, \$150.00 of it was for a new floor in the Lowell bridge and \$16.25 for painting the bridge which leaves \$120.00 spent for rock upon the 5 1/2 miles of the Lowell turnpike, all of which remain in the string where broken.

Inefficiency in management and lack of attention certainly shows very plainly in the pikes in that end of the county, and I do not believe there is one man in 50 in that vicinity who would be willing to vote for a Bond issue in Mason County, but after inquiring a little in various parts of Mason County, it is not hard to understand why the people are not for a Bond issue. They will vote for a Bond issue when the management in Mason County becomes efficient and distributes our turnpike fund upon the pikes of every district in a fair proportion to the amount of taxes produced in those districts.

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W. HOLTON KEY.

It has remained for the modern dentist to solve the unsolvable problem. When a woman gets into his chair her mouth is harnessed up to such an extent that it is utterly impossible for her to articulate a single word.

The easiest thing in the world to make is a promise; the next easiest is an excuse for not keeping it.

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We never have a long spell of sickness in our family, since we commenced using Black-Draught."

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress

We are authorized to announce W. J. Fields of Carter county, as a candidate for renomination as Representative in Congress from the Ninth District, subject to the action of the August primary.

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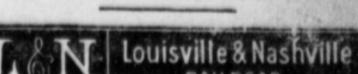
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No. 9 departs 1:00 p.m. daily except Sunday.

No. 10 arrives 9:50 a.m. daily except Sunday.

No. 13 arrives 2:05 p.m. daily except Sunday.

No. 14 arrives 8:30 p.m. daily except Sunday.

No. 16 arrives 7:30 a.m. daily except Sunday.

No. 17 departs 7:50 a.m. daily except Sunday.

Sunday Only

No. 117 departs at 6 a.m.

No. 118 arrives at 11:25 a.m.

Schedule effective Sunday, May 28, subject to change without notice.

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EAST. BOUND—

No. 8, 9:41 a.m.

No. 6, 9:55 a.m.

No. 2 1:40 p.m.

No. 16, 5:30 p.m.

No. 18, 8:00 p.m.

No. 4, 10:48 p.m.

WEST. BOUND—

No. 19, 5:30 a.m.

No. 5, 6:15 a.m.

No. 1, 9:19 a.m.

No. 17, 9:30 a.m.

No. 3, 3:30 p.m.

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## Correspondence

### Springdale

Charles Vaughn is seriously ill at his home here.

Mrs. Julia Bean of Orangeburg is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Orr Pence Boone of Manchester, O., and Mrs. Lena Pence Berry of Maysville attended the funeral of their brother, George, at Bethany Friday.

Mrs. James Elliott suffered excruciating pain for several hours Sunday morning from the entrance of some kind of a bug into her ear. Dr. Hill was called and soon removed the intruder.

Rev. J. M. Vawter is conducting a series of meetings at Bethany. He was joined Friday by his nephew, Rev. C. R. Vawter of Kansas City, Mo., and also by Rev. J. M. Lateral of Maysville. The beautiful singing of Rev. C. R. Vawter and wife with Rev. Lateral and Mrs. Ida McDonald was a rare treat to all who were so fortunate as to be present.

### Minerva

Miss Mary Pollett is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell in Chicago.

Mr. Joe Dwyer spent last week with his brother, Will, or Bracken.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wothington were Maysville visitors Saturday.

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### HERE AND THERE

If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going on a trip, please dress us a not, so that effect.

Miss Sophia Toth of Covington spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hopper of Mayslick, were visitors in this city yesterday.

Miss Katherine Bramel of Orangeburg was a shopper in this city yesterday.

Miss Anna Barry of Cincinnati is visiting relatives in Maysville and vicinity.

Miss Jennie Cole Rudy of Forest avenue is visiting Miss Edna Hasselman of Portsmouth, Ohio.

Miss Marie Boughton of Lexington street is spending the week with relatives and friends in Mayslick.

Mr. W. W. Wilkoff, the local agent of the C. & O., is attending a meeting of the agents at Ashland, Ky., today.

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The following is the Sunday school attendance for Sunday, July 16th:

Christian	139
Third Street M. E.	78
Baptist	109
First M. E. South	55
First Presbyterian	62
Forest Avenue M. E.	60
Central Presbyterian	50
Second M. E. South	62
Apostolic Holiness	51
Mission	51
Episcopal	15
Total	722

### MRS. NEWTON DAVIS

The funeral of Mrs. Newton Davis, who died at her home in Mt. Carmel Sunday morning was held in the Mt. Olivet Church yesterday afternoon. She is survived by her husband and four children, three boys and one girl.

### BASEBALL RESULTS

#### GAMES TODAY

**National League**  
New York at St. Louis.  
Brooklyn at Chicago.  
Boston at Cincinnati.  
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.

**American League**  
Cleveland at Washington.  
Chicago at Philadelphia.  
Detroit at New York.  
St. Louis at Boston.

#### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

**National League**  
Boston 6; Cincinnati 9.  
Brooklyn 2; Chicago 1.  
New York 5; St. Louis 1.  
Philadelphia-Pittsburg—rain.

**American League**  
Detroit 0-2; New York 2-3.  
Cleveland 7; Washington 5.  
St. Louis 2; Boston 3.  
Chicago-Philadelphia—rain.

#### STANDINGS

**National League**

	Won	Lost	Pet.
Brooklyn	45	30	.600
Boston	40	31	.563
Philadelphia	41	33	.554
New York	38	37	.507
Chicago	39	42	.481
Pittsburg	35	40	.487
St. Louis	37	46	.446
Cincinnati	33	49	.402

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pet.
New York	48	34	.585
Boston	45	35	.563
Cleveland	46	36	.561
Chicago	42	36	.538
Washington	42	38	.525
Detroit	43	40	.518
St. Louis	36	45	.444
Philadelphia	18	56	.243

#### THE LIGHTBEARER

Richard Travis and Betty Brown will appear in "The Lightbearer," a special Essanay feature to be projected at the Pastime today. Napoleon the great, and Sally, his mate, will be seen in "Have a Heart." These monkey comedies are a popular feature at the Pastime every Tuesday. Bring the children to see "Napoleon and His Mate," they will especially enjoy this picture. Last but not least is Sis Hopkins in "Have a Heart." Special for Thursday Hanlon's "Fantasma." A great picture. Don't miss it.

#### WOMAN AND WAR

Miss Elizabeth Stone of East Second street left yesterday on a short visit with relatives in Pleasant Hill, Ky. From there she will go to Kansas City, Mo., to spend the rest of the summer.

#### ATTENTION, RED MEN

Regular weekly meeting of the I. O. R. M. tonight at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.

JAMES FROST, Jr., Sachem.  
Duke White, K. of R.

The Mason County Humane Society will meet at the Public Library Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Misses Nellie and Agnes Haney of Market street are visiting relatives in Newport.

City Engineer W. L. Glazier of New- port was in this city yesterday.

### LOOK, BOYS! LISTEN!

The Old Republic Germantown Fair Co. offers some handsome Pig Club premiums. Also, the winner gets a free trip to the State Fair.

E. V. GRIFFITH,  
WOOD WALLINGFORD,  
T. F. TYLER,  
Printing Committee.

### OUR COLORED CITIZENS

Miss Mary J. Williams of Lewisburg left Saturday for Chicago, Ill., to visit her aunt, Mrs. Mary Reeves.

The Art Department of the Civic Improvement Club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Hattie Griffey on East Third street.

Mr. Pearl B. Ward and Mrs. Mary Commodore were married last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lewis by Rev. J. D. Walker.

All members of the Grand Lodge Committee are requested to meet in their hall Tuesday night to make final settlement of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

MRS. H. L. ANDERSON, Secretary.

#### To the Odd Fellows Committee

All members of the Grand Lodge Committee are expected to be present at this meeting. Every committee is requested to come prepared to hand in their report.

E. W. LANE, Chairman.

#### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

word. Minimum charge 10 cents. All items under this head  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent a word.

#### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Two-story frame residence at 616 East Third street, Fifth Ward. Concrete walks around house and stable in rear. Lot is 33 by 166 feet. For further details apply to Isaac Hoffman. J18-1w

#### Wanted.

WANTED—to buy a small Roll Top Desk. Phone 259 W.

WANTED—Copies of the Ledger dated Jan. 18; Feb. 28; March 12 and 25. Please bring to this office.